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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS:

This is filed in timely response to the Office Action mailed July 29, 2004, wherein the Examiner rejected pending Claims 1-2 under Section 102(b) as anticipated by Sakai et al., U.S. Patent No. 6,274,960. In response, Applicants respectfully submit the following Remarks.

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